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DUERSON-BOGIE.

F. C. Duerson and Miss Margaret Bogie Were Married in Lexington Last Week.

Mr. Frank C. Duerson and Miss Margaret Bogie were quietly married in Lexington last Wednesday at the residence of the bride's cousin, Mr. Bishop Clay. The news of the wedding was received with much surprise here, although the event was not unlooked for.

After a short bridal trip to Louisville and other points the couple returned to this city Friday night and will shortly go to housekeeping at the groom's handsome residence on West Main street.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. S. Bogie, Sr., of the county, and is a member of one of the most prominent families in the Blue Grass section. She is an exceedingly popular girl and her lovely manner has endeared to her countless friends. She has often attended many of the leading social events in this part of the State and has a large acquaintance and many admiring friends wherever she has visited.

The groom, a son of Dr. Charles Duerson, is also a member of one of our oldest and most prominent families.

For a number of years he has been engaged in the drug business in this city and enjoys a fine patronage. He is a young man of sterling character, pays strict attention to business and enjoys the confidence and esteem of this entire community.

It affords us great pleasure in joining their many friends in extending hearty congratulations and sincere hopes that their married life may be one endless chain of happiness.

Painfully Injured.

Mr. C. B. Fizer, while hitching a horse for a lady to a post in front of his store on Bank street last Saturday, was the victim of a rather peculiar and painful accident. Some one had wrapped some wire around the post and Mr. Fizer had slipped his hands between the wire and post to fasten the halter when the horse began pulling back and caught both Mr. Fizer's hands. In wrenching them free Mr. Fizer badly lacerated the inside of four of his fingers.

Ladies' Exchange.

The ladies and their friends of the Howards Mill Baptist Church will have an exchange in this city on Saturday before Easter. All kinds of country produce and other edibles will be on sale.

BRICK STREETS

Now Assured--Council Passes An Ordinance Advertising for Bids--Work to Be Begun At Once.

As indicated in the ADVOCATE of last week, the City Council at its regular meeting passed an ordinance advertising for bids for the construction of brick streets on Broadway and Court, Maysville street from the depot to High, and on Main street from Bank to Wilson.

Plans and specifications have been prepared and work will be begun at an early date. It is expected it will take about sixty days to complete the paving of the streets.

This is only a start and it is expected that within a reasonable length of time every street of any importance in Mt. Sterling will be paved with brick.

See advertisement for bids elsewhere in this issue.

Fishing Party.

Messrs Charles H. Petry, Chas. C. Turner, W. L. Killpatrick, C. T. Hazelrigg and others left Saturday for the Cumberland river, where they will spend ten days at their camp above Williamsburg. Reports from the river say that it is in excellent shape for fishing and that there is an abundance of the finny tribe this year.

Accepts Position.

Miss Mayme Osborne has accepted a position as stenographer and bookkeeper for S. P. Greenwade. Miss Osborne is a daughter of Mr. Philip Osborne, of Clark county, and is a popular and enterprising young lady. She has just completed a course at Smith's Business College in Lexington.

Harry Crooks Injured.

While breaking a young horse last Thursday, Harry Crooks, son of R. B. Crooks, had his left leg broken between the knee and thigh by the animal falling on him. He is reported to be doing nicely. Young Crooks is a brother of Walter Crooks, our popular Sheriff.

Wanted--Quick.

A boy between the age of 15 and 20 to learn the printing business. A fine chance for promotion. Apply at this office. tf

Onion sets, 5c a quart at Vanarsdell's.
Home-killed meats.
S. P. Greenwade.

W. Reid McKee Selected As New Councilman From Fourth Ward

At the regular monthly meeting of the City Council held Tuesday, March 21st, Mr. S. B. Lane resigned as Councilman from the Fourth Ward and W. Reid McKee was selected as his successor.

Mr. McKee is an excellent young man with splendid morals, and no better selection could have been made. He is a civil engineer and his modern and skillful ideas will no doubt be worth much to our city.

Mr. Lane's reason for resigning was that he had moved out of the ward. It is with sincere regret we see him retire as he made a splendid official.

O'Rear to Run.

As we go to press we are reliably informed that the announcement of Judge Edward C. O'Rear for the Republican nomination for Governor has been given the State press.

With O'Rear in the race there is going to be some lively fighting among the Republicans. The Cox forces are regarded as strong and have already effected a good organization.

For Sale.

One Poland China boar, eligible to register; 1 Moyer buggy good as new; 2 sets buggy harness (1 new); 1 spring wagon.

C. B. STEPHENS
at Advocate office.

Narrowly Escapes Serious Injury.

Professor Millard O'Rear, while hauling fodder on his farm last week, had his foot caught in the trace chain, and the team ran away. He was dragged a considerable distance, when the negro driver pulled the team into the fence. Mr. O'Rear was rescued, and while his clothing was badly torn and his ankle sprained, he was not seriously hurt. Mr. O'Rear is a brother of Judge E. C. O'Rear, of Frankfort.

Buys Fine Jack.

M. B. French has purchased of Bridges & Flora, of Crawfordsville, Ind., a splendid jack and will make a season with him at his place on the Camargo pike one-half mile from Mt. Sterling. This jack is 15.3 bands high and weighs 1050 pounds. If you want to breed to the best take your mares to him.

New vegetables at Vanarsdell's.

Strother & Frazer have secured the agency for the Ford automobile, the best car there is for bad roads and hills. The price is certainly right. Touring car or four passenger runabout, \$780; torpedo runabout, \$725, and open runabout, \$680. All fully equipped with top, wind shield, speedometer, horn, gas and oil lamps. Tools, etc., F. O. B. factory.

Remember if you want anything to eat see Greenwade, phone 100.

Up-to-Date Shop.

If you are looking for the cleanest, most sanitary and up-to-date shop in the city, the shop with all the latest appliances known to the barber trade, call on Lee Fisher at his shop in the basement below Punch & Graves' store. Courteous treatment and the services of only skilled workmen. A call will convince you.

Tubs! Tubs!

Special sale this week. Large size tubs for 39c, regular price 75c. The Fair.

Unlike some people, we court investigation. J. H. Brunner, 36-3t The Shoe Man.

J. MORGAN CHINN ANNOUNCES FOR CLERK OF THE COURT OF APPEALS.

Hon. J. Morgan Chinn, of Frankfort, has announced that he will seek the nomination at the hands of the Democratic voters of Kentucky for the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals, entering the Democratic State primary election, called by the party authorities for July 1st, next.

In making this announcement, Mr. Chinn stated that his campaign would be an active one from this time until the primary is over. He expects to devote his time exclusively to a canvass of the State. He has the advantage of being well known to Democratic voters, having toured Kentucky in every State campaign for several years past, once for himself, when he made a successful contest for the office which he is now seeking.

In presenting his candidacy to the Kentucky Democracy, Mr. Chinn says:

"I desire my friends throughout Kentucky to know that I will enter the July State primary election as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Clerk of the Court of Appeals. Having once served the people in this capacity, I am thoroughly familiar with the duties and requirements of the office I am now seeking, and, in the campaign with those who are opposing me for this honor at the hands of my party, will to a large

extent rely upon my conduct of the office as the best assurance of what may be expected from me should I again be so honored.

"The office of Clerk of the State's highest tribunal is one of the greatest importance to the people of the State. Within the last few years the General Assembly has added to the duties of the office by making the Clerk the head of the State election machinery, as chairman of the body, representing the two great parties, which chooses the County Election Commissioners for all the counties of the State. The efficiency of the man who fills the post of the Clerk of the Appellate Court is of much moment to the thousands of Kentuckians who are, during his term, litigants.

"I believe that, in the position of chairman of the State Election Commission, the Democrats of Kentucky should place a man who has the courage of his convictions, and who has been a life-long and a working Democrat. While on this subject, I may modestly refer to my brand of Democracy, which requires a man to be a voting and a working party man, on all occasions, and never a shirker. In the years since I attained my majority there has never been a time when I was not ready and did not raise my voice in behalf of my party and its nominees. This I

expect to do in the coming campaign with the enemy, whether I gain or lose the nomination I am seeking at your hands. I am going in the fight with no idea of losing, however. During the brief time that intervenes before you are to assemble in primary election, I am going to endeavor to see as many of you personally as the time will permit. Of course, I cannot expect to come in contact with every voter, hence take this means of letting all know that I am in the race to the finish."

Mr. Chinn, though a young man, has been prominent in Democratic politics for a number of years. He first secured prominence in the General Assembly of 1898, through the introduction of the Chinn School Book Bill, and he was the pioneer, together with the late William Goebel in school text book legislation in Kentucky. Several years later he was selected Clerk of the Court of Appeals, and applied himself closely to the duties of that office. Following his retirement from that office, he removed from his home at Harrodsburg to Frankfort, where he now makes his home and practices his profession, the law. Mr. Chinn is a fine speaker and campaigner, and has been heard in every State campaign since he entered public life.

Death of One of Montgomery County's Oldest Men.

Mr. Andrew Draggio, one of the oldest men in this county, died at the home of his son, Ben Draggio, near this city, Friday night, after an illness of only a few days. He had been a resident of this county for many years and was 83 years of age. The remains were shipped to Ohio, his old home, Sunday for burial. Mr. Draggio was well known in the county. He is survived by several children who have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their father.

The best the market affords in the meat and grocery line can always be found at

Greenwade's.

Gun Club Changes Quarters.

The Mt. Sterling Gun Club, whose trap house and club house have been located on the farm of Mr. John Woodford for many years past, owing to the field in which same have been located being cultivated this year, have moved the trap and club house to the farm of Mr. L. E. Griggs, at the end of Holt Avenue. They have most excellent grounds and the lovers of the sport are looking forward to a most enjoyable summer. Shooting every Friday afternoon.

Big Verdict for Burley Society.

In the Bourbon Circuit Court Thursday the Burley Tobacco Society was given a verdict of \$40,000 damages against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad for pooled tobacco burned in a warehouse at Millersburg by a spark from a locomotive belonging to the defendant company.

DAHLIAS FOR SALE.

15c to 25c
Cactus—Show and Decorative
Named Varieties
36-4t L. T. Chiles.

Wanted.

If you have spring chickens to sell, see me. S. P. Greenwade.

Sale of Old Jail Property.

The old brick house located on corner of Maysville and High streets, was sold at public auction last Saturday to wind up the estate of Thomas Johnson, deceased. There was considerable bidding as the lot is well located, and the building of little value. Chas. G. Thompson secured the property at \$2,630.

A tip on the side—RED CROSS
low shoes have the style as well as comfort this season.

J. H. Brunner,
The Shoe Man.

Hurt By Wire Stretchers.

While Mrs. P. B. Turner was assisting her son, Henry C. Turner, in stretching a wire fence at her home on the Grassy Lick pike Thursday afternoon the wire broke throwing the stretchers on Mrs. Turner's foot, breaking one of her toes and making a very painful injury.

Winchester Court.

The March court day was the dullist in months. A very large crowd was in town, with many from Lexington, Paris and Mt. Sterling. Many horses and mules were on hand, but practically no sales were made. The price of mules seemed to be decidedly off. Luther Hamilton reports the sale of one jack, Dr. Keyes to C. Masterson for \$400. Two car loads of mules were at the Farmers and Shippers stock yards. Four pair were sold at from \$300 to \$450. Very few cattle or hogs were in the yards. About 400 cattle and 60 hogs were at the Hamilton stock yards. Sales were slow and prices nothing extra.

Anyone having manure they want hauled let me know and I will be glad to haul it for the manure. S. P. Greenwade.

Old Manse Syrup, pint can 20c at Vanarsdell's.

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EASTER
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We are showing a large assortment of Snappy Tailored Suits in all the latest shades and fabrics. The same suit you pay more for at other places

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Long, Separate Coats are very stylish and useful. We have them in Serge, Linen, Pongee and mixtures

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Our Foulard, Messaline and Lingerie dresses will delight the eye of any woman

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Gold Filled 17 Jewel Gents' Watch, worth \$15.00, at \$11.50

17 Jewel Silverine Watch, worth \$12.00, now \$9.00

J. W. JONES



ELUSIVE ISABEL

by JACQUES FUTRELLE

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At all. And then the electric signal in the hall flashed up.

Before Mr. Grimm stood a man, framed by the doorway, staring unseeing into the darkened room. His face was haggard and white as death; his mouth agape as if from exertion, and the lips bloodless; his eyes were widely distended as if from fright; clothing disarranged, collar unfastened and dangling.

"The ambassador!" Miss Thorne whispered thrillingly.

CHAPTER XIV.

A Rescue and an Escape.

Miss Thorne's voice startled Mr. Grimm a little but he had no doubt. It was Monsieur Bolesseur. Mr. Grimm was going toward the unframed figure when, without any apparent reason, the ambassador turned and ran along the hall; and at that instant the lights went out again. For one moment Grimm stood still, dazed and blinded by the sudden darkness, and again he started toward the door. Miss Thorne was beside him.

"The lights!" he whispered tensely. "Find the switch!"

He heard the rustle of her skirts as she moved away, and stepped out into the hall, feeling with both his hands along the wall. A few feet away, in the direction the ambassador had gone, there seemed to be a violent struggle in progress—there was the puffing of feet, and quick-drawn breaths as muscles strained against muscles. The lights! If he could only find the switch! Then, as his hands moved along the wall, they came in contact with another hand—a hand pressed firmly against the plastering, barring his progress. A light blow in the face caused him to stop back quickly.

The snuffling sound suddenly resumed itself into moving footsteps, and the front door opened and closed with a bang. Mr. Grimm's business eyes snapped, and his white teeth came together sharply as he started toward the front door. But late seemed to be against him still. He stumbled over a chair, and his own impetuous forward sent him sprawling; his head struck the wall with a resounding crack; and then, over the house, came other silence. From outside he heard the clatter of a cab wheel that died away in the distance.

"Miss Thorne!" he inquired quietly. "I'm here," she answered in a deep, hoarse voice. "But I can't find the switch."

"Are you hurt?"

"No."

And then she found the switch; the lights flared up. Mr. Grimm was sitting thoughtfully on the floor.

"That simplifies the matter considerably," he observed complacently, as he rose. "The man who signaled to me when you entered the embassy will never let that cab get out of their sight."

Miss Thorne stood leaning forward a little, eagerly gazing at him with those wonderful blue-gray eyes, and an expression of—of—perhaps it was admiration on her face.

"Are you hurt?" she demanded, at last.

"I know it" was his response.

And then Monsieur Rigout, secretary of the embassy, thrust an inquisitive head timidly around the corner of the stairs. The crash of glass had aroused him.

"What happened?" he asked, breathlessly.

"We don't know just yet," replied Mr. Grimm. "If the noise aroused any one else please assure them that there's nothing the matter. And you might inform Madame Bolesseur that the ambassador will return home tomorrow. Good night!"

At his hotel, when he reached there, Mr. Grimm found Miss Thorne's card—and he drew a long breath; at his office he found another long breath. He did his corroborative details, did Mr. Grimm, and, of course, this! On the following day Miss Thorne accompanied him to Alexandria, and they were driven in a closed carriage out toward the western edge of the city. Finally the carriage stopped at a signal from Mr. Grimm, and he assisted Miss Thorne out, after which he turned and spoke to some one remaining inside—a man.

"The house is two blocks west, along that street there," he explained, and he indicated an intersecting thoroughfare just ahead. "It is number ninety-seven. Five minutes after we enter you will drive up in front of the door and wait. If we don't return in fifteen minutes—come in after us!"

"Do you anticipate danger?" Miss Thorne queried quickly.

"If I had anticipated danger," replied Mr. Grimm, "I should not have permitted you to come with me."

They entered the house—number ninety-seven—with a key which Mr. Grimm produced, and a minute or so later walked into a room where three men were sitting. One of them was of a coarse, repulsive type, large and leery; another rather dapper, of superior physique, evidently a foreigner; and the third—the third was Ambassador Bolesseur!

"Good morning, gentlemen!" Mr. Grimm greeted them, then ceremoniously. "Monsieur Bolesseur, your carriage is at the door."

The three men came to their feet instantly, and one of them—the one of the heavy face—drew a revolver. Mr. Grimm faced him placidly.

"Do you know what would happen to you if you killed me?" he inquired, pleasantly. "You wouldn't live three minutes. Do you imagine I came in here blindly? There are a dozen men guarding the entrance to the house—a pistol shot would bring them in. Put down that gun!"

Eyes challenged eyes for one long tense instant, and the man carefully laid the weapon on the table. Mr. Grimm strode over and picked it up, after which he glanced inquiringly at the other man—the ambassador's second guard.

"And you are the gentleman, I dare say, who made the necessary trips to the ambassador's house, probably using his back-key?" he remarked interrogatively. "First for the letters to be signed, and again for the cigarettes?"

There was no answer and Mr. Grimm turned questioning to Monsieur Bolesseur, silent, white of face, motionless.

"Yes, Monsieur," the ambassador burst out suddenly. His eyes were fixed unwaveringly on Miss Thorne.

"And your escape, Monsieur?" continued Mr. Grimm.

"I did escape, Monsieur, last night," the ambassador explained, "but they knew it immediately—they pursued me into my own house, there two and another—and dragged me back here! Mon Dieu, Monsieur, don't—"

"That's all that's necessary," remarked Mr. Grimm. "You are free to go now."

"But there are others," Monsieur Bolesseur interposed, desperately. "Two more somewhere below, and they will not allow—they will attack—"

Mr. Grimm's latest eyes narrowed slightly and he turned to Miss Thorne. She was a little white, but he saw enough in her face to satisfy him.

"I shall escort Monsieur Bolesseur to his carriage, Miss Thorne," he said, calmly. "These men will remain here until I return. Take the revolver. If either of them so much as wags his head—about! You are not—not afraid?"

"No," she smiled faintly. "I am not afraid."

Mr. Grimm and the ambassador went down the stairs, and out the front door. Mr. Grimm was just turning to re-enter the house when from above came a muffled, venomous cress-ash!—a shot! He took the steps going up, two at a time. Miss Thorne was leaning against the wall as if dazed; the revolver lay at her feet. A door in a far corner of the room stood open; and the clatter of footsteps echoed through the house.

"One of them leaped at me and I fired," she gasped in explanation. "He struck me, but I'm—I'm not hurt."

She stooped quickly, picked up the revolver and made as if to follow the dying footsteps. Mr. Grimm stopped her.

"It doesn't matter," he said quietly. "Let them go." And after a while, earnestly: "If I had dreamed of such a—such a thing as this I should never have consented to allow you—"

"I understand," she interrupted, and for one instant her outstretched hand rested on his arm. "The ambassador?"

"Perfectly safe," responded Mr. Grimm. "Two of my men are with him."

CHAPTER XV.

Master of the Situation.

As the women rose and started out, leaving the gentlemen over their coffee and cigars, Miss Thorne paused at the door and the blue-gray eyes flashed some subtle message to the French ambassador, who, after an instant, nodded comprehendingly, then resumed his conversation. As he left the room a few minutes later he noticed that Mr. Grimm had joined a group of automaniacs of which Mr. Cadwallader was the enthusiastic center. He spoke to his hostess, the wife of the minister from Portugal, for a moment, then went to Miss Thorne and dropped into a seat beside her. She greeted him with a smile and was still smiling as she talked.

"I believe, Monsieur," she said in French, "you sent a code message to the cable office this afternoon?"

His eyes questioned hers quickly. "And please bear in mind that we probably are being watched as Mr. Grimm," she went on pleasantly. "Mr. Grimm is the man to be afraid of. Smile—don't look so serious!" She laughed outright.

"Yes, I sent a code message," he replied.

"It was your resignation?"

"Yes."

"Well, it wasn't sent, of course," she informed him, and her eyes were sparkling as if something amusing had been said. "One of my agents stopped it. I may add that it will not be sent."

The ambassador's eyes grew steady, then blank again.

"Mademoiselle, what an idea to understand from that?" he demanded.

"You are to understand that I am absolute master of the situation in Washington at this moment," she replied positively. The smile on her lips and the tone of her voice were strangely at variance. "From the beginning I let you understand that ultimately you would receive your instructions from Paris; now I know they will reach you by cable tomorrow. Within a week the compact will be signed. Whether you approve of

Mr. Grimm was twisting the seal ring on his little finger.

"I'm sorry if I made it uncomfortable for you," he apologized. "You see it's necessary to—"

"No explanation," Miss Thorne interrupted. "I understand."

"I'm glad you do," he replied earnestly. "How long do you intend to remain in the city?"

"Really I don't know—two, three, four weeks, perhaps. Why?"

"I was just wondering."

Senorita Rodriguez came toward them.

"We're going to play bridge," she said, "and we need you, Isabel, to make the four. Come, I have to take her away, Mr. Grimm."

Mr. Grimm and Miss Thorne rose together. For an instant her slim white hand rested on Mr. Grimm's sleeve and she stared into his eyes undemandingly with a little of melancholy in her own. They left Mr. Grimm there.

"Nothing Can Stop Us—Nothing."

It or not it will be signed for your country by a special envoy whose authority is greater than yours—his Highness, the Prince Benedetto d'Abuzzi.

"Has he reached Washington?"

"He is in Washington. He has been here for some time, in disguise. She was silent a moment. "You have been a source of danger to our plans," she added. "If it had not been for an accident you would still have been comfortably kept out in Alexandria where Mr. Grimm and I found you. Please remember, Monsieur, that we will accomplish what we set out to do. Nothing can stop us—nothing."

At just about the same moment the name of Prince d'Abuzzi had been used in the dining-room, but in a different connection. Mr. Cadwallader was reciting some incident of an automobile trip in Italy when he had been connected with the British embassy there.

"The prince was driving," he said, "and one of the best I ever saw. Corning chap, the prince; democratic, you know, and all that sort of thing. He was one action of royalty who didn't mind soiling his hands by diving in under a car and fixing it himself. At that time he was inclined to be wild—that was eight or nine years ago—"

but they say now he has settled down to work, and is one of the real diplomatic powers of Italy. I haven't seen him for a half dozen years."

"How old a man is he?" asked Mr. Grimm carelessly.

"Thirty-five, thirty-eight, perhaps; I don't know," replied Mr. Cadwallader. "It's odd, you know, the number of princes and blue-bloods and all that sort of thing one can find knocking about in Italy and Germany and Spain. One never hears of half of them. I never had heard of the Prince d'Abuzzi until I went to Italy, and I've heard jolly well little of him since, except indirectly."

Mr. Cadwallader lapsed into silence as he sat staring at a large group photograph which was framed on a wall of the dining-room.

"Isn't that the royal family of Italy?" he asked. He rose and went over to it. "By Jove, it is, and here is the prince in the group. The picture was taken, I should say, about the time I knew him."

Mr. Grimm strolled over idly and stood for a long time staring at the photograph.

"He can drive a motor, you know," said Mr. Cadwallader, admiringly. "And Italy is the place to drive them. They forget to make any speed laws over there, and if a chap gets to your way and you knock him silly they arrest him for obstructing traffic, you know. Over here if a chap really starts to go any place in a hurry some bally idiot holds him up."

"Have you ever been held up?" queried Mr. Grimm.

"No, but I expect to be every day," was the reply. "I've got a new motor, you know, and I've never been able to see how fast it is. The other evening I ran up to Baltimore with it in an hour and thirty-seven minutes from Alexandria to Druid Hill Park, and that's better than forty miles. I never did let the motor out, you know, because we ran in the dark most of the way."

Mr. Grimm was still gazing at the photograph.

"Did you go alone?" he asked.

"There's no fun motoring alone, you know. Senorita Rodriguez was with me. Charming girl, what?"

A little while later Mr. Grimm sauntered out into the drawing-room and made his way toward Miss Thorne and the French ambassador. Monsieur Bolesseur rose, and offered his hand cordially.

"I hope, Monsieur," said Mr. Grimm, "that you are no worse off for your unpleasant experience?"

"Not at all, thanks to you," was the reply. "I have just thanked Miss Thorne for her part in the affair, and—"

"I'm glad to have been of service," interrupted Mr. Grimm lightly.

The ambassador bowed ceremoniously and moved away. Mr. Grimm dropped into the seat he had just left.

"You've left the legation, haven't you?" he asked.

"You drove me out," she laughed.

"Drove you out?" he repeated.

"Drove you out?"

"Why, it was not only uncomfortable, but it was rather conspicuous because of the constant espionage of your Mr. Blair and your Mr. Johnson and your Mr. Hastings," she explained, still laughing. "So I have moved to the Hotel Hilliard."

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CHAPTER XVI.

Letters From Jail.

For two weeks Signor Pietro Petrozinni, known to the Secret Service as an unacknowledged agent of the Italian government, and the self-confessed assistant of Senor Alvarez of the Mexican legation, had been taking his ease in a cell. He had been formally arraigned and committed without bail to await the result of the buller word which had been inflicted upon the diplomat from Mexico at the German Embassy Ball, and, since then, undisturbed and apparently careless of the outcome, he had spent his time in reading and smoking. He had answered questions with only a curt yes or no when he deigned to answer them at all; and there had been no callers or inquiries for him. He had abruptly declined a suggestion of counsel.

Twice each day, morning and night, he had asked a question of the jailer who brought him his simple meals.

"How is Senor Alvarez?"

"He is still in a critical condition." The answer was always the same.

Whereupon the secret agent would return to his reading with not a shadow of uneasiness or concern on his face.

Occasionally there came a courteous little note from Miss Thorne, which he read without emotion, afterward casting them aside or tearing them up. He never answered them. And then one day there came another note which, for no apparent reason, seemed to stir him from his lethargy. Outwardly it was like all the others, but when Senor Petrozinni scanned the sheet his eyes lighted strangely, and he stood staring down at it as though to hide a sudden change of expression in his face. His gaze was centered on two small spots of ink where it seemed, the pen had scratched as Miss Thorne had signed her name.

The guard stood at the barred door for a moment, then started to turn away. The prisoner stopped him with a quick gesture.

"Oh, guard, may I have a glass of milk, please?" he asked. "No ice. I prefer it tepid."

He thrust a small coin between the bars; the guard accepted it and passed on. Then, still standing at the door, the prisoner read the note again:

"My Dear Friend:—"

"I understand, from an indirect source, that there has been a marked improvement in Senor Alvarez's condition, and I am hesitating to send you the good news. There is every hope that within a short while, if he continues to improve, we can arrange a bail bond, and you will be free until the time of trial, anyway."

"Might it not be well for you to consult an attorney at once? Drop me a line to let me know you received this."

Sincerely,
"ISABEL THORNE."

Finally the prisoner tossed the note on a tiny table in a corner of his cell, and resumed his reading. After a time the guard returned with the milk.

"Would it be against the rules for me to write an answer to this?" queried Signor Petrozinni, and he indicated the note.

"Certainly not," was the reply.

"If I might trouble you, then, for pen and ink and paper?" suggested the signor and he smiled a little. "Believe me, I would prefer to get them for myself."

"I guess that's right," the guard grinned good-naturedly.

Again he went away and the prisoner sat thoughtfully sipping the milk. He took half of it, then lighted a cigarette, pulled it once or twice and permitted the light to die. After a little there came again the clatter of the guard's feet on the cement pavement, and the writing materials were thrust through the bars.

"Thank you," said the prisoner. The guard went on with a nod, and a moment later the signor heard the clangor of a steel door down the corridor as it was closed and locked. He leaned forward in his chair with half-closed eyes, listening for a long time, then rose and noiselessly approached the cell door. Again he listened intently, after which he resumed his seat. He tossed away the cigarette he had and lighted a fresh one, afterward holding the note over the flame of the match. Here and there, where the paper charred in the heat, a letter or word stood out from the bare whiteness of the paper, and finally a message complete appeared between the innocuous ink-written lines. The prisoner read it greedily:

"Am I privately informed there is little chance of Alvarez's recovery. Shall I arrange escape for you, or have ambassador intercede? Would advise former, as the other might take months, and meeting to sign treaty alliance would be dangerously delayed."

Signor Petrozinni permitted the sputtering flame to ignite the paper, and thoughtfully watched the blaze destroy it. The last tiny scrap dropped on the floor, burned out, and he crushed the ashes under his heel. Then he began to write:

"My Dear Miss Thorne:—"

"Many thanks for your courteous little note. I am delighted to know of the improvement in Senor Alvarez's condition. I had hoped that my impulsive act in shooting him would not end in a tragedy. Please keep me informed of any further change in his condition. As yet I do not see the necessity of consulting an attorney, but later I may be compelled to do so."

Respectfully,
"PIETRO PETROZINNI."

This done the secret agent carefully cleaned the ink from the pen, wiping it dry with his handkerchief, then thrust it into the half empty glass of milk. The fluid clung to the steel rib thinly; he went on writing with it, between the lines of ink:

"I am in no danger. I hold credentials to United States, which, when presented, will make me responsible only to the Italian government as special envoy, according to international law. Arrange escape for one week from tonight; use any money necessary. Make careful arrangements for the test and signing of compact for two nights after."

Again the prisoner cleaned the steel nib, after which he put it back in the bottle of ink, leaving it there. He waved the sheet of paper back and forth to dry it, and at last scrutinized it minutely, standing under the light from the high-up window of his cell.

Letter by letter the milk evaporated, leaving the sheet perfectly clean and white except for the ink-written message. This sheet he folded, placed in an envelope, and addressed.

Later the guard passed along the corridor, and Signor Petrozinni thrust the letter out to him.

"Be good enough to post that, please," he requested. "It isn't sealed. I don't know if your prison rules require you to read the letters that go out. If so, read it, or have it read, then seal it."

For answer the guard dampened the flap of the envelope, sealed it, thrust it into his pocket and passed on. The secret agent sat down again, and slipped his milk meditatively.

One hour later Mr. Grimm, accompanied by Johnson, came out of a photographer's dark room in Pennsylvania Avenue with a developed negative which he sat on a rack to dry. At the end of another hour he was sitting at his desk studying under a magnifying glass, a finished print of the negative. Word by word he was writing on a slip of paper what his magnifying glass gave him and so, curiously enough, it came to pass that Miss Thorne and Chief Campbell of the Secret Service were reading the hidden, milk-written message at almost the identical moment.

"Johnson got Petrozinni's letter from the postman," Mr. Grimm was explaining. "I opened it, photographed it, sealed it again and resealed it. There was not more than half an hour's delay; and Miss Thorne can not possibly know of it." He paused a moment. "It's an odd thing that writing such as that is absolutely invisible to the naked eye, and yet when photographed becomes decipherable in the negative."

"What do you make of it?" Mr. Campbell asked. The guileless blue eyes were alive with eagerness.

"Well, he's right, of course, about not being in danger," said Mr. Grimm. "If he came with credentials as special envoy this government must respect them, even if Senor Alvarez dies, and leave it to his own government to punish him. If we were officially aware that he has such credentials I doubt if we would have the right to keep him confined; we would merely have to hand him over to the Italian embassy and demand his punishment. And, of course, all that makes him more dangerous than ever."

"Yes, I know that," said the chief a little impatiently. "But who is this man?"

"Who is this man?" Mr. Grimm repeated as if surprised at the question. "I was looking for Prince Benedetto d'Abuzzi, of Italy. I have found him."

Mr. Campbell's clock-like brain ticked over the situation in detail.

"It's like this," Mr. Grimm elucidated. "He has credentials which he knows will free him if he is forced to present them, but I imagine they were given him more for protection in an emergency like this than for introducing him to our government."



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the matter stands he can't afford to discover himself by using those credentials, and yet, if the Latin compact is signed, he must be free. Remember, too, that he is seconded from three countries—Italy, France and Spain." He was silent for a moment. "Naturally his escape from prison would preserve his incognito, and at the same time permit him to sign the compact."

There was silence for a long time. "I believe the situation is without precedent," said Mr. Campbell slowly. "The special envoy of three great powers held for attempted—"

"Officially we are not aware of his purpose, or his identity," Mr. Grimm reminded him. "If he escaped it would clarify the situation tremendously."

"If he escaped!" repeated Mr. Campbell musingly.

"But, of course, the compact would not be signed at least in this country," Mr. Grimm went on tentatively.

Mr. Campbell gazed straight into the limitless eyes of the young man for a minute or more and gradually full understanding came home to him. Finally he nodded his head.

"Use your own judgment, Mr. Grimm," he directed.

CHAPTER XVII.

A Call on the Warden.

The restful silence of night lay over the great prison. Here and there in the grim corridors a guard dozed in the glare of an electric light; and in the office, too, a deep light glimmered where the warden sat at his desk, poring over a report. Once he glanced up at the clock—it was five minutes of eleven—and then he went on with his reading.

After a little the silence was broken by the whirl of the clock and the first sharp stroke of the hour; and at just that moment the door from the street opened and a man entered. He was rather tall and slender, and a sinister black mask hid his face from the quickly raised eyes of the warden. For a bare fraction of a second the two men stared at each other, then, instinctively, the warden's right hand moved toward the open drawer of his desk where a revolver lay, and his left toward several electrically connected levers. The intruder noted both gestures, and, unarmed himself, stood silent. The warden was first to speak.

"Well, what is it?"

"You have a prisoner here, Pietro Petrozinni," was the reply, in a pleasant voice. "I have come to demand his release."

The warden's right hand was raised above the desk top, and the revolver in it clicked warningly.

"You have come to demand his release, eh?" he queried. He still sat motionless, with his eyes fixed on the black mask. "How did you pass the outside guard?"

"He was bribed," was the ready response. "Now, Warden," the masked intruder continued peacefully. "It would be much more pleasant all around and there would be less personal danger in it for both of us if you would release Signor Petrozinni without question. I may add that no bribe was offered to you because your integrity was beyond question."

"Thank you," said the warden grimly, "and it shall remain so as long as I have this." He tapped on the desk with the revolver.

"Oh, that isn't loaded," said the masked man quietly.

One quick glance at the weapon showed the warden that the cartridges had been drawn! His teeth closed with a snap at the treachery of it, and with his left hand he pulled back one of the levers—that which should arouse the jailers, turnkeys and guards. Instead of the insistent clangor which he expected, there was silence.

"That wire has been cut," the stranger volunteered.

With clenched teeth the warden pulled the police alarm.

"And that wire was cut, too," the stranger explained.

The warden came to his feet with white face and nails biting into the palms of his hands. He still held the revolver as he advanced upon the masked man threateningly.

"Not too close, now," warned the intruder, with a sudden hardening of his voice. "Believe me, it would be best for you to release this man, because it must be done, pleasantly or otherwise."

"I want Your Prisoner, Signor Petrozinni—You Will Release Him at Once!"

wise, I have no desire to injure you, still less do I intend that you shall injure me; and it would be needless for either of us to make a personal matter of it. I want your prisoner, Signor Petrozinni—you will release him at once! That's all!"

The warden paused, dazed, incredulous before the audacity of it, while

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AN ORDINANCE

Requiring the Original Construction, by Paving and Curbing, of Certain Streets in the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

Be It Ordained by the Mayor and Board of Council of the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the following streets and parts of streets, intersections and crossings in the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, be improved by original construction by paving and curbing the same with vitrified brick and curbing and gutter suitable for the purpose, from the inner curb line to the outer sides of the sidewalks thereon, but so as to include curbing on the opposite sides of the said streets and between the lines thereon as follows:

Maysville street from the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Depot to the south line of High street; Main street from the west line of Wilson street to the east line of Bank street; Court street and Broadway to the south line of High street.

SEC. 2. That the same be paved and curbed in accordance with the specification thereof, referred to and adopted by the resolution of this Board, which specifications, however, may at the pleasure of the Council be changed from time to time by resolution.

SEC. 3. That the cost and expense of said original construction and improvement by paving and curbing aforesaid, shall be the exclusive cost of the owners of the lots and parts of lots or lands fronting or abutting or bordering on the said streets and parts of streets to be paved by original construction as above, and shall be apportioned by the City Engineer and Board of Council according to the number of front feet owned by the owners respectively.

Any owner of the lots or grounds abutting or bordering the improvements desiring to settle in cash for the improvement assessed against them may, within thirty days after the adoption of the apportionment, pay the amount assessed against them to the City Treasurer, who shall place the money in the Street Improvement Fund. At the expiration of thirty days after the adoption of the apportionment the Treasurer shall report to the Council the amount of cash received and the Council shall then order the City Clerk to advertise Street Improvement Bonds for sale to cover the remainder together with the expense attending the issue of said bonds, including advertisement, printing bonds, etc., said bonds to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, and when the bonds have been sold, the money realized therefrom shall be placed in the Street Improvement Fund and an order drawn against said fund in favor of the contractor for the entire amount due him including interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from the time the work was accepted by the City Council to the date of payment to him.

SEC. 4. The accepted bidder shall execute bond to the City with good and sufficient security, to be approved by the Council for the faithful performance of said construction, and said contractor shall within ten days after being notified to do so by the Board of Council begin work under said contract; and shall complete the same as provided for in said contract, and without delay, and when the work as provided for in said contract and in this ordinance is completed in accordance with the contract, the work shall be received by the

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SEC. 5. Within thirty days after the advertisement for sale of Street Improvement Bonds, as provided herein, the Mayor of the City is hereby empowered and directed to issue bonds of this City in such sum as the Council may order, not exceeding however, the contract price for said work with interest due herein provided and all expenses attending the completion and issue of said bonds, which may be redeemed by the City as follows:

One-fifth thereof at the end of two years from their date; one-fifth thereof at the end of four years from their date; one-fifth thereof at the end of six years from their date; one-fifth thereof at the end of eight years from their date; one-fifth thereof at the end of ten years from their date; and said bonds shall bear interest from date thereof until paid at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and the same and all interest thereon shall be payable at the Mt. Sterling National Bank, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

Said bonds when issued shall be signed by the Mayor and the City Clerk of the Council with the municipal seal attached; and shall be sold and disposed of by the Mayor City Clerk and Treasurer then in office for the most advantageous price, in no event, however, to be less than par with accrued interest at the time of sale.

The bonds shall be in the form and substance as hereinafter prescribed and numbered consecutively from number one to the number required, and shall be in the denomination of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars each except that one may be for a smaller amount than said sum to cover any remaining fractional part of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars, said work may cost with appropriate interest coupons attached. They shall all bear interest and date the day that the work was accepted by the City Council and until negotiated shall be left in the custody of the Treasurer who shall be liable for the safe keeping thereof on his official bond.

Said bonds shall not be issued upon the faith and credit of the City of Mt. Sterling for the payment thereof, but the faith and credit of the City shall be pledged for the payment of the sum realized upon the apportionment against the property for the cost of the paving and curbing of said streets as in this ordinance provided, only after the same shall have been collected and paid to the Treasurer, as in this ordinance provided and said bonds shall be payable and redeemable not on the faith and credit of the City but out of and secured by lien for the assessments to be made and apportioned against said lots and parts of lots or lands fronting upon said streets and parts of street intersections and crossings so herein ordered to be paved and curbed.

SEC. 6. All money paid, received or collected upon the assessments against the lots as in this ordinance provided, to be made and interest on the deferred annual payments, as provided in said section No. 5 of said Act approved March 24th, 1894, and all money arising from the sale of bonds herein provided for shall be kept by the City Treasurer as a separate fund to be known as Street Improvement Fund and the bonds shall be paid out of the amount realized upon said assessments to be made and apportioned upon the properties abutting upon said streets and parts of streets, as above, and said assessments secured, paid and collected as provided for like cases by section No. 6 of Act of the General Assembly

of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, entitled an Act to Amend an Act For The Government of Cities of the Fourth Class, approved June 28th, 1893, and approved March 24th, 1894, and being sections 3575 and 3578 of the Kentucky Statutes as amended by Chapter 40 Acts of the General Assembly of Kentucky, approved March 24th 1908.

SEC. 7. All monies received from the assessments in this ordinance, provided, to be made, shall be apportioned and paid out upon the order of the Board of Council upon the City Treasurer and for the payment of the interest and redemption of the bonds which may be issued for the improvement herein provided and for no other purpose.

SEC. 8. The cost of said improvement assessed against any piece of ground or owners thereof, shall not exceed one-half of the value of such grounds after the improvement is made, excluding the value of all buildings and other improvements upon the property so improved.

SEC. 9. Said bonds shall be in substance, form and effect as follows, except as to the consecutive number to cover said fractional part of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars provided in section 5 of this ordinance, and the date of maturity of the five sets of ends, and the five sets, to mature as hereinbefore provided.

No. State of Kentucky, City of Mt. Sterling:—

Know all men by these presents, That the City of Mt. Sterling, in the State of Kentucky, promises to pay the bearer the sum of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars on the day of 19....

at the Mt. Sterling National Bank, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the date thereof until the payment of said principal sum, upon presentation and surrender of the proper coupons hereto annexed at said Mt. Sterling National Bank of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, for the payment for which said sum and interest, the faith and credit of the City is hereby held firmly bound to make, but only out of the sum realized upon the apportionment against the property and lots abutting streets to be improved, under and pursuant to ordinance of the Board of Council of the City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, adopted on the day of 1911, after the said sums have been collected and paid to the Treasurer of the said City neither said sum or interest, shall be payable or redeemable on the faith and credit of the said City, nor shall said principal sum or interest be deemed a debt against the City, but shall be payable out of and secured by a lien on the assessments to be made and apportioned by said City against said lots and parts of lots or lands abutting upon streets and parts of streets in said ordinance ordered to be paved and curbed. The principal sum of this bond shall be payable at maturity upon presentation and surrender of the same at said Mt. Sterling National Bank, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

This bond is one of a series of bonds numbering one to inclusive, for One Hundred (\$100) Dollars each, and one numbered of Dollars and known as street paving bonds and issued under the authority granted by sections 3572, 3573, 3574 and 3575 and 3577 of the Kentucky Statutes, as amended by Chapter 40 Acts of the General Assembly of Kentucky, approved March 24th, 1908, also in accordance with the resolution and ordinances passed authorizing the issue of the same by the Board of Council of the City of Mt. Sterling.

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..... day of 19.... Mayor, Clerk. Upon each of said bonds shall be attached the appropriate number of coupons for the appropriate amount of said rate of interest payable semi-annually and the interest coupons on each of said bonds shall have the facsimile of the signature of the Clerk of the City.

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The City of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky out of the same for which this bond and coupon is given and payable, will pay the bearer the sum of Three (\$3.00) Dollars at the Mt. Sterling National Bank, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, on the day of 19...., being six months interest on bond No. Street Paving Bonds issued pursuant to ordinance of the Council of the City of Mt. Sterling, adopted the day of 19....

Clerk of the City of Mt. Sterling.

SEC. 10. W. A. Samuels, Mayor, H. M. Ringo, City Clerk, and C. B. Patterson, Treasurer of the City of Mt. Sterling, are hereby appointed a committee to advertise for bids for paving and curbing and in accordance with the specifications adopted by the Board of Council they shall adopt such means as in their judgment shall be productive of the greatest benefit and produce the largest number of bids, and said bids to be sealed and endorsed Street Paving Bids, and said bids directed to the City Clerk who shall keep them and open them in the presence of the Council. Each bidder must accompany his bids with a certified check on a National Bank, payable to the order of the City Treasurer for One Thousand (\$1000) Dollars, which amount will be returned in case of a rejection of said bid, and to the successful bidder upon acceptance of his bid and formal execution of contract, the City to reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

SEC. 11. The assessment will be made as soon as the improvements are fully completed, and the sum assessed, which shall include the cost of the intersections and crossings aforesaid, together with the cost attending the sale and issue of said bonds as aforesaid against each piece of property and also the owners thereof, shall be placed upon the tax list of the City, and shall be payable at the office of the City Treasurer in ten equal annual installments with interest at the rate specified in said bonds upon the unpaid portion thereof. The first installment, together with interest at the rate specified, shall be payable at the first payment of taxes next succeeding the time the assessment is placed upon the tax list, and interest to be computed to the date that taxes are due and payable and the other installments not due at the time until all installments are paid. The assessments may be collected like other taxes, or the City may, at any time, after one installment remains delinquent for thirty days, by suit in equity enforce its liens for all of the unpaid installments, with interest thereon at date of satisfaction of same, and its costs-expended.

SEC. 12. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed hereby.

SEC. 13. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and publication in the manner provided by law. The contract made shall be known and designated as Street Paving Contract "A."

Approved

W. A. SAMUELS, Mayor.

H. M. RINGO, City Clerk.

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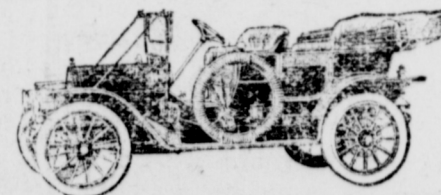
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HON. J. P. EDWARDS

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HON. O. H. POLLARD

For State Treasurer
HON. THOS. S. RHEA

For Clerk of the Court of Appeals
HON. ROBERT L. GREENE
HON. J. MORGAN CHINN

CIVIC PRIDE.

Civic pride is a virtue that must be possessed by every citizen of our city in order to produce satisfactory results. A few indifferent and untidy ones can undo the good the others endeavor to accomplish. Last Sunday, while standing on the corner of Main and Maysville streets, we heard three gentlemen discuss the apparent lack of civic pride on the part of many of our citizens, citing as an illustration the ash barrels on the sidewalks. From where we stood twenty-nine barrels, filled with paper, ashes and the like, could be seen on the sidewalks. This nuisance is one that is growing, and if the present City Ordinances do not cover such a case they should be amended to do so.

We are glad to notice some of our merchants using a nice metal receptacle, with closely fitting top, which is kept inside the building and put on the sidewalk every morning, except Sunday, to be emptied by the Street Commissioner. Those who do not use the metal cans should be made to do so, and the sooner this shameful practice of allowing several dozen filthy barrels to remain on our sidewalks, especially on Sunday, is stopped, the better.

HON. THOS. S. RHEA.

Hon. Thos. S. Rhea, of Logan county, aspires to be State Treasurer. He is at present Vice President of the Bank of Russellville, was former Sheriff of his home county, is a brother of ex-Congressman John S. Rhea and Hon. Ab. G. Rhea, member of the Democratic State Executive Committee. Being a competent gentleman and loyal Democrat, his selection could not be improved upon.

HON. J. MORGAN CHINN.

Hon. J. Morgan Chinn, of Franklin county, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. Having once served in this capacity to the entire satisfaction of everybody, his qualifications for the position are conceded, and being an active working Democrat of the old school, his claims are worthy of favorable consideration at the hands of his party.

The attention of our readers is called to the Brick Street Ordinance in this issue, and every property-owner who has not yet made his sewer tap, especially within the territory to be bricked, should make it at once. The city has the right to compel this to be done, but no citizen should require it to go to this unnecessary trouble.

We imagine Col. Walton will be sorely disappointed with the much talked of Webster's New International Dictionary, which has just been issued, "New from cover to cover, with over four hundred thousand defined words and phrases," when he discovers that it does not contain the now famous word of his coinage, "anagosity."

The attention of our readers is called to horse advertisements in this issue.

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has authorized the announcement of his candidacy for Treasurer of the State of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held July 1st, 1911.

Mr. Rhea is a native of Russellville and has lived there all of his life. For four years he was Sheriff of Logan county. At the expiration of his term of office he was elected Vice President of the Bank of Russellville, and has since that time been the general manager of the Bank. He holds this position now and has made for himself an enviable reputation as a financier and business man. He is a brother of the Hon. John S. Rhea, former Representative in Congress from the Third District, and is one of the most widely known young Democrats in the State. His advice and counsel is always in demand. He is a tireless worker and is never happier than when engaged in a political combat.

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Horrible Disaster in New York

One of the worst disasters around New York since the burning of the steamer General Slocum was a fire Saturday afternoon in a ten-story building at Washington Place and Greene street, in which over 140 persons, mostly young girls and women, lost their lives. The victims were employees of the Triangle Waist Company. Most of them leaped to death from the eighth, ninth and tenth stories of the building. Many were suffocated while at work at the machines, while others were crushed to death from leaping down an elevator shaft.

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Q. & C. Strike Declared Off.

The strike of the white firemen on the Q. & C. railroad was declared off Saturday night after an agreement was signed at Cincinnati by representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers and Horace Baker, general manager of the road.

Black bass, white perch, fresh caught salmon at
Greenwade's

C. W. Harris

Funeral Director
and Embalmer

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

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Office—479

Residence—146

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OUR SPECIALTY

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MT. STERLING, KENTUCKY

Negro Injured.

Last week near L. & E. Junction, on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, a negro named Tom Watts, attempted to board a fast through freight train, lost his hold and was thrown under the wheels, one arm and one leg being cut off by the cars. He was removed to his home and will recover.

On Record.

We desire to go on record right now as being of the firm opinion that a literary woman who wants to be loved should see to it that her flapjacks are the equal of her sonnets and her corned beef hash every bit as good, if not better than her essay on Browning.—Exchange.

The Mother

Who attempts to make boys' washable suits hopes to give them some of the style shown in

Walsh Bros.

READY TO WEAR SUITS

now on display. Last season we were a little late in getting our wash suits for boys and children. Some folks have gone to the trouble to make them. But in every instance where our suits were shown

We Sold Them

You can't resist them. Such styles, such beautiful combinations, trimmings, cloths and ideas. The prices are as low as you would have them. Suits from

\$1.50 to \$4.00

ages from two to nine years

Hats and caps in many instances to match suits. If you love your boy bring him to us. Just see what is to be seen in wash suits

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BURPEE'S GARDEN SEEDS

—AT—
Querson's Drug Store.

Phone 129. No. 10 Court St.

PERSONAL

Walter Harper spent Saturday in Winchester.

G. B. Senff was in Morehead on business last week.

W. C. Moore has gone to Lexington for a ten days stay.

Mrs. Dr. P. K. McKenna is visiting her parents in Louisville.

William Marshall Bullitt and Josh Bullitt, of Louisville, were here Monday on legal business.

Mrs. Dave Fox, of this county, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Benjamin Gay, in Lexington last week.

Miss Olivia Anderson has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Lexington and Winchester.

Judge Lewis Apperson, C. D. Grubbs, Judge B. F. Day and W. B. White are attending Circuit Court at Frenchburg this week.

Chenault Cockrell and brother-in-law, Mr. Woodson, of Middlesboro, were guests of Mr. Cockrell's relatives in this city from Saturday until Monday.

Robert Trimble, Jr., Lloyd Frazier, Richard Winn, Tom Vansant and J. C. Gaitskill, who are attending Central University at Danville, spent from Saturday until Tuesday in this city the guests of their parents.

Mrs. Richard Punch, of Mt. Sterling, and her attractive little daughter, Rose, are guests of her mother, Mrs. Ann Burke. Mr. Punch is recuperating at French Lick Springs. Mr. S. P. Greenwade, of Mt. Sterling, was here Friday on business.—Winchester News.

Watch this Space Each Week. Belongs to TABB OPERA HOUSE.

ONE NIGHT ONLY—
SATURDAY, APRIL 1st

O. JOIETZ PRESENTS

The Lyman Twins

and their own company

—in—

The Big Musical Comedy Success

"The Prize Winners"

THE BIG FUN SHOW

Pretty Girls | Funny Comedians | Elegant Costumes
Beautiful Scenery | DON'T MISS IT

PRICES FIRST FLOOR—75c, \$1.00, \$1.50
BALCONY—50c and 75c. BOYS 35c.

Tabb Opera House

Mrs. O. P. Clay, of Paris, visited Mrs. Webbie Chorn last week.

Miss Anise Hunt has returned from a visit to friends in Louisville.

Frank Chenault, of Versailles, spent Sunday with his family in this city.

H. Clay McKee and wife returned Saturday night from their bridal tour.

Priest Kemper, who is civil engineering in Tennessee, spent Sunday in this city.

Miss Lizette Parker, of Paris, is the charming visitor of Miss Elizabeth Laughlin.

RELIGIOUS

Elder Lester, of Roanoke, Va., will preach at the residence of Mrs. Susan Lane, on High street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Next Sunday morning at the Methodist Church the pastor will discuss the question: "Can a Man Forgive Sin?" A most cordial invitation is extended to all, but especially to Bible students, to be present to hear the discussion of this interesting and suggestive question.

Genuine lamb at Vanarsdell's.

THE SICK

"Uncle Rube" Harper is seriously ill at his home on Maysville st.

W. Caldwell Clay who has been sick for the past ten days is greatly improved.

Mrs. Sarah Drake, who has been quite sick for the past week is somewhat improved.

Miss Minnie Moberley is much improved from a slight operation for tonsillitis at a Lexington hospital.

Mrs. W. H. Berry has been confined to her room for several days during the last week with la grippe.

"Uncle Bob" Hazelrigg, the popular and efficient clerk at the National hotel, who has been confined to his bed for the past ten days, is improving nicely.

For Sale.

One small iron safe, weighs 400 pounds. Will sell cheap.

The Fair.

AMUSEMENTS.

LYMAN BROS.

The Lyman Twin Brothers, the popular comedians, who appear at Tabb Opera House, Saturday, April 1st, are enthusiastic yachtsmen, being the sons of Capt. Chas. A. Lyman, master of one of the largest steel passenger and freight boats on the great lakes. This has brought them in close touch with navigation since childhood, and even when they were little fellows they were always the owners of some kind of skiff and have never been without a boat up to the present time. They are fond of all kinds of water craft and are both experts with the sheet and the wheel.

BUSTER BROWN.

"Buster Brown" has been entirely re-written for this season's presentation, and is said to be one of the brightest, snappiest musical shows traveling. The book is by George Totten Smith, and the incidental music by John W. Bratton. The present day craze, the queer conceit, the Billiken, the little God of Good Luck, will be seen in real life when Buster Brown comes to town. To the charming music of a song called the "Billiken Man," the big chorus of the company in Billiken dress, comical face and all, will create a sensation. The odd sight of sixteen Billikens, true to character, leaves an impression of novelty not easily forgotten. This big attraction will be at the Tabb Opera House, Thursday, April 6th.

Notice!

The undersigned will not be responsible for any debts made against me unless contracted for by myself in person or in writing.

38-2t Fred Weckesser.

Eggs for Sale.

I have for sale Rose Comb Rhode Island hen eggs. \$1.00 for 15 or \$6.00 per hundred.

C. T. Peggs, 37-43 Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Wanted--Quick.

A boy between the age of 15 and 20 to learn the printing business. A fine chance for promotion. Apply at this office. tf

LOST—Lady's gold glasses on Howard Avenue, Clay or Maysville streets Saturday morning. Return to M. C. Clay and receive reward.

Spring lamb, spring chickens, veal, spare ribs, sliced country ham, at Greenwade's

I positively have the best selection of RED CROSS low shoes ever put out. Low shoes \$3.50 and \$4. High shoes \$4 to \$5.

J. H. Brunner, 36-3t The Shoe Man.

Surrey for Sale.

In excellent condition. Price, \$40. (36-4) L. T. Chiles.

Large line of Easter novelties at The Fair. Bring the children to see them.

MARRIAGES

Mt. Sterling friends are in receipt of the following invitation:

Judge and Mrs. Edward Clay O'Rear requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Helen

to Ensign Richard Caswell Sauley United States Navy on Tuesday evening, April the twenty-fifth at seven-thirty o'clock Methodist Episcopal Church, South Frankfort, Kentucky.

Cards as follows are enclosed with the invitations:

Reception immediately after the ceremony at Glen-Ayr.

Fishing tackle of all kinds. Lines 1c to 10c each; reels 10 and 50c.

The Fair.

FOR RENT—Electrically operated Vacuum Cleaner, with all attachments for cleaning walls, draperies, upholstery, bedding, etc., \$1.50 per night. Attach to any electric light socket. More powerful than the hand power machines and no labor to operate. Phone 4. See Luther Redmon at Light office.

Buy the Ford because it is a better car, not because it is cheaper. 38-4t

Now is the time to get that wall paper, and The Fair is the PLACE to buy it.

Mother and Three Children Burned to Death Near Harrodsburg.

In a fire which destroyed the home of Mrs. J. T. Veech, a few miles from Harrodsburg, Mrs. L. B. Bridges and her three little sons lost their lives, while others of the household had narrow escapes.

Mrs. Bridges is the wife of a Methodist evangelist who is conducting a revival at Middlesboro and she was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Veech.

The family was asleep Sunday night when the flames broke out and were aroused by blasts from the whistle of a passing locomotive.

Mrs. Bridges and her sons, aged four years, two years, and an infant in arms, were asleep on the second floor, while the Veeches and their other children were down stairs.

The Veeches escaped and tried to rescue Mrs. Bridges and children through an upper window, but the floor fell and they were burned to death.

The Veeches moved to Mercer county recently from Jessamine county.

Sale of personal property of James Guilfoile, Sr., next Saturday at 2 o'clock, on Court street.

Granite Dish Pans, 25c.
Granite Wash Pans, 10c.
Granite Dippers, 10c.

The Fair.

THRONG OF BUYERS CONTINUE

Special Half Price Brings Many Patrons to W. S. Lloyd's.

The people of Mt. Sterling and vicinity appreciate the great advantage W. S. Lloyd obtained for them, in getting the Dr. Howard Co. to allow the regular 50 cent size of Dr. Howard's specific, for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, to be sold at half price, 25 cents, and have bought hundreds of bottles.

Unlike ordinary medicines for constipation and dyspepsia, the dose of Dr. Howard's specific is reduced after a few day's use and the cure is soon complete and lasting.

If you have not already taken advantage of this chance to get a month's medical treatment for 25 cents, be sure to call at W. S. Lloyd's to-day, for he has only a small amount of it on hand.

36-&-38.

Sale of personal property of James Guilfoile, Sr., next Saturday at 2 o'clock, on Court street.

Pure Single Comb Rhode Island Red eggs for sale, 75c per setting of 15. Mrs. W. A. DeHaven. Phone 734. 37-4t

For Sale.

Fawn and white Indian runner duck eggs, from the very finest stock. Great layers. Phone 705. 38-4t Mrs. J. M. Hutsell.



Scene From Lyman Twins, at Tabb Opera House, Saturday, April 1st.

A SLICK BARGAIN

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THIS WEEK ONLY!

BEST LEAF LARD at 10c lb.

100 per cent. Pure (could not be any better)

Onion Sets For Another Week at . . . 15c gal

"Dill Pickles" . . . 3 dozen 25c
Extra Fine Flavor. Try Them

Nice Mixed Candy . . . 7c lb
Or 4 pounds for 25c

Brown's Mule Tobacco . . . 2 plugs for 15c
All you want at this price

SPOT CASH GROCERY

The Store For "That Good Coffee."

Besides....

Kerr's Perfection Flour

We are offering another

Very Good One

The Difference in QUALITY is SLIGHT

The Difference in PRICE is GREAT

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Ask Your Neighbor or MR. TABB

HAPPY RESULTS

Have Made Many Mt. Sterling Residents Enthusiastic

No wonder scores of Mt. Sterling citizens grow enthusiastic. It is enough to make anyone happy to find relief after years of suffering. Public statements like the following are but truthful representations of the daily work done in Mt. Sterling by Doan's Kidney Pills.

Robert Sheridan, So. Queen St., Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for two years and have found them to be a remedy that lives up to representations. I suffered greatly from lumbago which came on by attacks, some of which were so severe that I could hardly get around. I had pains through my back and kidneys, at times extending into my shoulders. I was also annoyed by irregular passages of the kidney secretions and I think that the hard work on the railroad was responsible for my suffering. I was unable to find relief until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at F. C. Duerson's Drug Store. They gave me prompt relief and I continued taking them until I was cured."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

The world would be happier if the people were a little more generous with their praise. There is too much flattery, but a word of just appreciation would cheer the heart and strengthen the hands of many a discouraged worker in the home, in the school, in the church and in the world.

WINCHESTER

Monument Works

WINCHESTER, KY.

BEST WORK. LOWEST PRICES.

Let me know your wants and I will call on you and save you money.

F. H. JACKSON, Prop.

If we look only for crooked trees in the timber, we will find plenty of them; but we will pass by many straight, beautiful trees and never notice them. So, too, if we look only for blemishes in the character of others, we will find them; but we may not notice the many good qualities that they may possess.



"I fell and sprained my arm and was in terrible pain. I could not use my hand or arm without intense suffering until a neighbor told me to use Sloan's Liniment. The first application gave me instant relief and I can now use my arm as well as ever."—MRS. H. B. SPRINGER, 921 Flora St., Elizabeth, N. J.

SLOAN'S LINIMENT

is an excellent antiseptic and germ killer—heals cuts, burns, wounds, and contusions, and will draw the poison from sting of poisonous insects.

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Sloan's book on horses, cattle, sheep and poultry sent free. Address Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Boston, Mass., U.S.A.



IT DOESN'T PAY.

It doesn't pay to be a grouchy. It doesn't pay to wear a frown; Nobody ever made his pile By knocking every one in town. There are some better reasons why A man should smile upon his way, But here is one: Financially A gloomy visage doesn't pay.

There's money in a cheerful smile, A fortune in a cheerful work, And money often reaches souls That finer things will leave unstirred. And so I put it up to you, Don't mope and whine along your way; If it is money you desire, A gloomy visage doesn't pay.

'Twere better that you smile, because You wish to cheer your fellow-man, And speak the cheerful word, to help A weaker brother if you can. But if these reasons don't appeal To you, I write it down today, There's money in a happy face; A gloomy visage doesn't pay.

—Detroit Free Press.

After a heavy meal take a couple of Doan's Regulents, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulents bring easy, regular passages of the bowels. 1m.

New Postoffice Rules.

Our postmaster formulates the following rules for the benefit of his patrons and that you may know what you may exact: No letters given out until they have been received. If you don't get a letter or a paper on the day you expect it have the postmaster look through all the boxes and down the cellar also. It ought to be there somewhere and he likes to hunt for it just to please you. If your friend don't write rave at the postmaster. He is to blame. If he tells you no, put on a grievous look and say there ought to be some. He is probably hiding your mail for the pleasure of having you call for it. Ask him to look again. If you are buying stamps make him lick them and put them on; that's his business.

For Sale Privately.

A small farm of about 70 acres, one mile from city. All good tobacco land. Good tenant house. Twenty acres, sod never broken. Terms easy. Good tobacco barn if price suits me. Also 20 tons clover hay, good.

WM. G. MARSHALL.

This is just the right size town to settle down in and enjoy life. Everything for the comfort of life can be bought here and \$10 will go as far as \$25 will in the large cities. When you want to leave the farm, come to our town and build a nice comfortable home and be among the best people in the world.

For sore throat there is positively no remedy that will relieve so quickly and cure permanently the most aggravated case, as Bloodine Rheumatic Liniment. Sold by W. S. Lloyd. 26-3m.

There is nothing that is so cheering to a mother's heart, and such a rich recompense for all she has sacrificed and endured, as the kind affectionate remembrance of her children. There is nothing that can adorn man or woman more than the tenderness and gentle care they manifest towards their aged parents as they totter on the borders of another world.

New Plumbing Firm

M. R. Hainline having bought out W. S. Smathers in the plumbing, tinning and gas fittings, etc., the new firm name will be Hainline & Leverett. They will be glad to make estimates on plumbing, roofing and gas fittings, etc. Satisfaction guaranteed in every way. 23-tf.

Stallion Advertising.

In some of the Central Kentucky exchanges the owners of stallions are already setting forth the merits of their animals. There is no better medium by which to reach the farmers and breeders of this county than the columns of the ADVOCATE and the wise man will not wait until the breeder has made up his mind in regard to the matter. We have also a full line of new cuts, type, etc., for printing cards in the highest style of art.

Commissioner's Sale.

MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT

JAMES G. WALKER, &c. - Plaintiffs

vs.

S. M. WALKER, &c. - Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE IN EQUITY.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Montgomery Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, 1911, thereof, in the above cause, the undersigned will, on the

10th Day of April, 1911

at 1 o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, (being the first day of the Montgomery Circuit Court), proceed to offer for sale at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of 6 months, at the Court House door, in Mt. Sterling, Ky., the property mentioned in the Judgment, to-wit:

Two tracts of land situated on the waters of Little Lake Creek in Montgomery county, Ky., and which are particularly described as follows:

First Tract. Beginning at a point at the south side of a four-pronged locust tree standing at a gate, figure 1 on the plot, and a corner to the lands of S. M. Walker, referred to in the deed from Fannie B. Walker to S. M. Walker, dated April 9th, 1903; thence N. 87 1/2° E. 44 poles to a stake, figure 2, a corner to the 66.66 acres referred to in this case as being the tract now held by the heirs of R. W. Walker; thence S. 22 1/2° E. 93 poles to a stake (3) in the line of the Marshall lands, and a corner to the 66.66 acres tract above named; thence with the line of the Marshall land N. 62 1/2° E. 94.6 poles to a stake with four black jack saplings and a small hickory pointer (4) corner to the Marshall land; thence N. 8° W. 32 poles to a stake (5) in the bed of an old road corner to same; thence N. 39° W. 139 poles to a stake (6) in the edge of an old field corner to the Willis Bruton land; thence N. 43 1/2° E. 32 poles to a stake (7) in Bruton's line at the end of an old lane; thence with Bruton's line N. 18 1/2° W. 65.6 poles to a stake (8) at the road, corner to Bruton; thence with the road S. 68 1/4° W. 123 poles to a stake in the road (9) 52 poles to a stake (10) corner to S. M. Walker; thence leaving the road with his lines as follows: S. 22 1/2° E. 51.2 poles to a stake (10) on the west side of an old road bed, corner to said Walker; thence S. 54 1/2° E. 9.5 poles to two peach trees growing from the same root (11) corner to said Walker; thence S. 9 1/2° E. 88 poles to the place of beginning, containing within the boundary one hundred and sixty-three and 95-100 acres of land.

Second Tract. Beginning at a stake (letter A on plot) corner to S. M. Walker tract above referred to and a corner to the 66.66 acre tract of the R. W. Walker heirs; thence S. 22 1/2° E. 143 poles to a stake (B) on the south side of the county road, at the S. W. corner to the 66.66 acre tract; thence S. 68° W. 34.2 poles to a stake (C) on the side of a hill; thence N. 85 1/4° W. 16 poles to a stake (D) in the road; thence N. 50 1/2° W. 13 poles to a stake (E) corner to the S. M. Walker tract; thence leaving the road with the line of the S. M. Walker tract as follows: N. 7 1/2° E. 47 poles to a stake (F) one pole south of the middle of the track of the railroad; thence up the railroad along the south side N. 60° W. 3.4 poles to a stake (G); thence N. 3° E. 29.4 poles to a stake (H); thence N. 2 1/2° W. 58.4 poles to the place of beginning, containing 24 3/4 acres of land.

The two tracts of land will be sold separately.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid. Bond payable to Master Commissioner.

JOHN A. JUDY,

37-3 Master Commissioner M. C. C.

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ELIJAH COONS, Guardian, &c. Pl'ffs

vs.

LOU STOKELEY, - - - Defendant

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at 1 o'clock, p. m., or thereabout (being the first day of the Montgomery Circuit Court), proceed to offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of 6 and 12 months, at the Court House door, in the city of Mt. Sterling, Ky., the property mentioned in the Judgment, to-wit:

A tract of land lying on the waters of Spencer Creek in Montgomery county, Ky., containing 23.65 acres, and is bounded thus: Beginning at a stone at a gate corner to Duff and Perry, formerly R. Conner, and Banner; thence along the south side of the road N. 51 1/2° W. 20 poles to a stone corner to McCormick and Perry; thence N. 44 1/4° W. 26.4 poles to a stone corner to same; thence N. 43 1/2° W. 41.2 poles to a stone corner to same and Mary Reason; thence N. 2° E. 14.6 poles to a post corner to same; thence S. 85° E. 84.8 poles to a stone corner to Green Reason; thence S. 13° W. 74.4 poles to the beginning, being a portion of the same land conveyed by J. M. Oliver to W. T. Stokeley by deed dated January 3rd, 1895, of record in deed book 53, page 386 of the Montgomery County Court Records.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the

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JOHN A. JUDY,

37-3 Master Commissioner M. C. C.

Open Letter on "Back Home Movement."

Richmond, Va., March 22, 1911. (Special). To Southern People, Newspapers, Railroad and Boards of Trade: Your "Back Home" movement which is designed to bring our friends back to the South and to secure their co-operation in advertising the South; to reduce the problem of immigration to terms of individual action, and to ally all Southern interests in a common cause—getting MORE PEOPLE is good. The plan of it is good enough to be imitated by the Western railroads. Read the following dispatch which is now appearing in Southern newspapers:

"San Jose, Cal., March 1.—San Jose today celebrated invitation day by mailing the first lot of 4,000,000 invitations which are to be sent by Californians to friends and acquaintances throughout the East, inviting them to locate in this State. The movement was started by the Southern Pacific Railway and is designed to attract permanent settlers rather than tourists. Each county in California is to send out its quota of invitations, which are in the form of attractive cards bearing views of the different localities."

You can see the above in many Southern newspapers. What are you going to do about it? There are more than 4,000,000 Southern people in the West. Can we not send out as many invitations as California? As they say in California, let us "come alive."

K. T. CRAWLEY,

Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co., Richmond, Va.

Women Are Interested in Establishing Lower Death Rate Among Their Sex.

It has recently been discovered that many women who believe they are suffering with diseases peculiar to their sex, have nothing else but kidney trouble or the results of kidney and bladder diseases. Thousands of women suffer from kidney trouble and never know it. When the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they often cause the other organs to become diseased, and you become nervous, irritable, and often despondent.

When in ill health you may suffer with bearing down feelings, backache, and loss of ambition. Many thousands of nervous, irritable and broken down women have restored their health and strength with Bloodine Blood and Kidney Tablets; they make sick kidneys well. Free sample and booklet will be sent by the Bloodine Corporation, Boston, Mass. Enclose stamp to pay postage.

W. S. LLOYD, Special Agent.

WANTED WANTED!

YOUR SCRAP IRON, LIVE GEESSE, HENS ROOSTERS, TURKEYS AND EGGS, HIDES, FURS, TALLOW, BEESWAX, FEATHERS, AND GINSENG, FOR WHICH I WILL PAY THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE.

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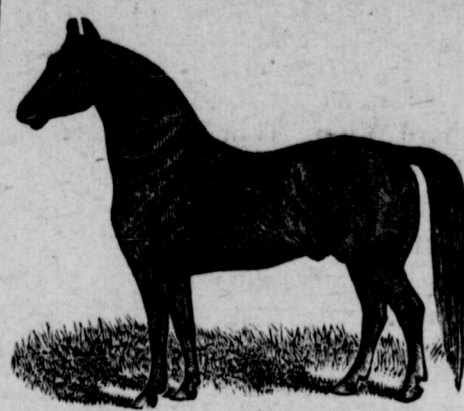
Capital	\$50,000
Surplus & Undivided Profits	23,000
Stockholders Liability	50,000
Total	\$123,000

IT MEANS, THE AMOUNT OF LOSS

The Exchange Bank of Kentucky.

Would be required to sustain before you, as a depositor, could lose a dollar. Make your next deposit with us

Jno. S. Frazer, Cashier



I will not

Sell you Saddles and Harness whose only virtue is good looks. The kind I make is GOOD all the way through.

Use only brings out its good qualities and does not cost more than the inferior goods

I select my own material, closely inspect it before going into the work and then clothe it with a guarantee

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Joe M. Conroy

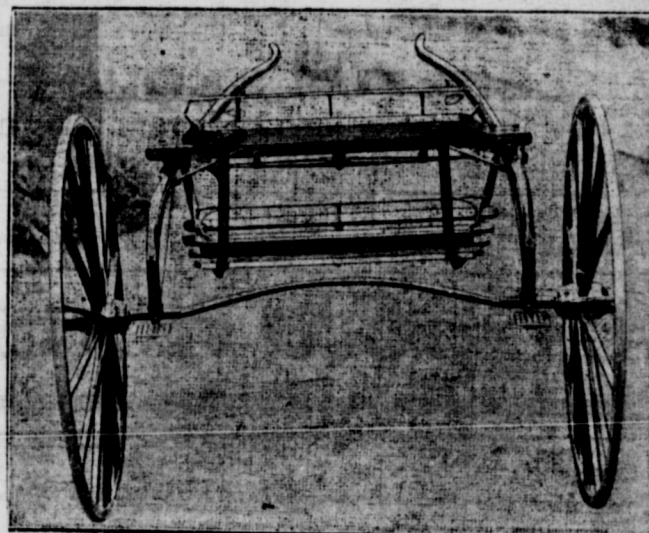
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In advertising always say what you believe, if you wish people to believe what you say.

THE Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company

TIME OF TRAINS AT MT. STERLING

(Subject to change without notice)

LEAVE	ARRIVE
6:19 a. m. Louisville	12:39 p. m.
3:47 p. m. Louisville	9:37 p. m.
6:50 a. m. Lexington	9:25 a. m.
2:15 p. m. Lexington	7:05 p. m.
9:30 a. m. Rothwell	2:05 p. m.
12:59 p. m. New York	6:19 a. m.
9:37 p. m. Wash'gton	
9:37 p. m. Norfolk	3:47 p. m.
9:25 a. m. Pikeville	2:15 p. m.
9:25 a. m. Hiuton	

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TIME TABLE.

West-Bound.

STATIONS	No. 1 Daily A. M.	No. 2 Daily P. M.	No. 3 Daily A. M.	No. 4 Daily P. M.
Lv. Jackson	6:10	2:20	7:00	
" O. & K. Junction	6:15	2:25	7:05	
" Athol	6:40	2:52	7:30	
" Beattyville Junction	7:07	3:20	7:54	
" Torrent	7:30	3:41	8:15	
" Campton Junction	7:48	3:57	8:28	
" Clay City	8:28	4:35	9:02	
" L. & E. Junction	9:00	5:07	9:34	
" Winchester	9:12	5:20	9:46	
Ar. Lexington	9:55	6:05	10:25	

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STATIONS	No. 2 Daily A. M.	No. 4 Daily P. M.	No. 3 Daily A. M.	No. 1 Daily P. M.
Lv. Lexington	2:25	7:35		
" Winchester	3:05	8:13		
" L. & E. Junction	3:20	8:28		
" Clay City	3:50	9:02		
" Campton Junction	4:30	9:38		
" Torrent	4:47	9:56		
" Beattyville Junction	5:10	10:17		
" Athol	5:37	10:45		
" O. & K. Junction	6:05	11:15		
Ar. Jackson	6:10	11:20		

No. 4 A. M.	STATIONS	No. 3 P. M.
11:20	Jackson	2:20
Ar. 11:40	Quicksand	Lv. 1:50

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UNIQUE COLLECTION.

Robert Young, ironmonger, Edinburgh, who passed away recently, was known far and wide as a collector of horseshoes. Row upon row, on the walls of his shop, hung shoes dating from the time of the Roman occupation (those having been found in Monmouthshire) down to the present day. Among the latter were included shoes worn on the day of the race by such famous derby winners as Lord Rosebery's Ladas and Sir James Miller's Rock Sand. Every country in the world, from China to Peru, had been laid under tribute.

Bishop Clay For Mayor.

Mr. Bishop Clay, prominent in the real estate business in Lexington, has been asked to become a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Mayor of Lexington in petitions signed by more than four hundred Democratic voters of the city.

Mr. Clay has taken the matter under consideration. He is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Jas. Bogie and Mrs. John Woodford, of this city.

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1-pound Butter Moulds, 10c.

The Fair.

Pure country sausage, finest made, at Vanarsdell's.

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STOOPS.

Farmers have had a serious time trying to plow sod.

The dry cold weather has given grass a severe set back.

Miss Fannie May Cassity, of Flat Creek, has been very ill with pneumonia.

James Robbins bought a work horse of Tom Warner for \$150.

J. H. Gillaspie is making preparations to add extensively to Bourbon Chief Stock Farm.

Representatives of the Lexington warehouses were here last week trying to buy tobacco.

The condition of E. L. Fassett, at Martinsville, Ind., is much improved.

The wind did considerable damage Monday in the way of blowing down trees, fencing and destroying tobacco canvass.

Misses Stella Copher and Ethel Doyle, who are attending the Owingville High School, visited home folks from Friday till Monday.

It is reported that the Farmers Union movement is going to be started in Montgomery county soon.

The Calvert Comedy Company exhibited to a good size crowd Saturday night.

Bigstaff & Alexander have bought a car load of corn of I. F. Tabb at \$2.70 per barrel.

Miss May Trimble won the prize for being the most popular young lady at the show Saturday night.

On April 1st, Lee Trimble, temporary carrier on this route (No. 2) will become the regular carrier on route No. 4 and Arthur Richardson, carrier on route 4 will take Trimble's place on route No. 2.

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